COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCIY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF WEST KENTUCKY RURAL TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION: (1)FOR A CER-TIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AUTHORIZING IT TO BORROW \$3,121,000 FROM THE RURAL ELECTRIFICATION ADMINISTRATION AND TO ISSUE NOTES AND MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITY INSTRUMENTS TO SECURE THE SAME; (2) FOR A CER-TIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL TELEPHONE LINES AND OTHER **FACILITIES**

CASE NO. 8330

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that West Kentucky Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation shall file an original and five copies of the following information by October 19, 1981. If neither the requested information nor a motion for an extension of time is filed by the stated date the case will be dismissed.

- (1) Provide West Kentucky R.T.C.C.'s plant investment in Kentucky as of July 31, 1981.
- (2) What portion of the construction and how much of the loan proceeds do you propose to spend in the Kentucky service area?

- (3) Do you foresee or anticipate that this additional indebtedness will necessitate an increase in your rates?
- (4) Are any of the proposed construction and expenditures of money related to the cooperative's last construction and loan? If so, identify the uncompleted work and the amount of the loan which will be used to complete that work. Include an explanation of any overruns.
- (5) Will the work be done in-house by your own employees or will it be contracted out? If by contract, provide the names of the firms who will construct these facilities.
- (6) Will this loan and construction, if authorized, be sufficient to serve all present and anticipated applicants for telephone service during the period covered by the construction program?
- (7) As briefly as possible explain the underlying assumptions and calculations used in the projection of revenues and expenses in the forecast of revenues and expenses.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 29th day of September, 1981.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

For the Commission

Secretary